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RESPONSE A

Dear Sir:

This communication is in response to Office Action dated October 19, 2005.

REMARKS

Claims 1-23 are pending in the present application. Claims 1, 2, 7, 10-13 and 16 stand rejected. Claims 3-6, 8-9, 14-15, and 17-23 stand objected to.

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